



SPORTS



NEW JERSEY' COMMISH ACTED WISELY IN BARRING JOHNSON

Tex Rickard Says Match With
Negro Might Injure Box-
ing Game.

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NEW YORK, July 7.—In handling
the Dempsey-Carpentier fight, the
"Jersey" boxing commission was
right on the job. The commission
is still on the job.

In announcing that Jack Johnson
could not box in New Jersey, the
commissioners seem to have the in-
terest of the whole sport at heart.

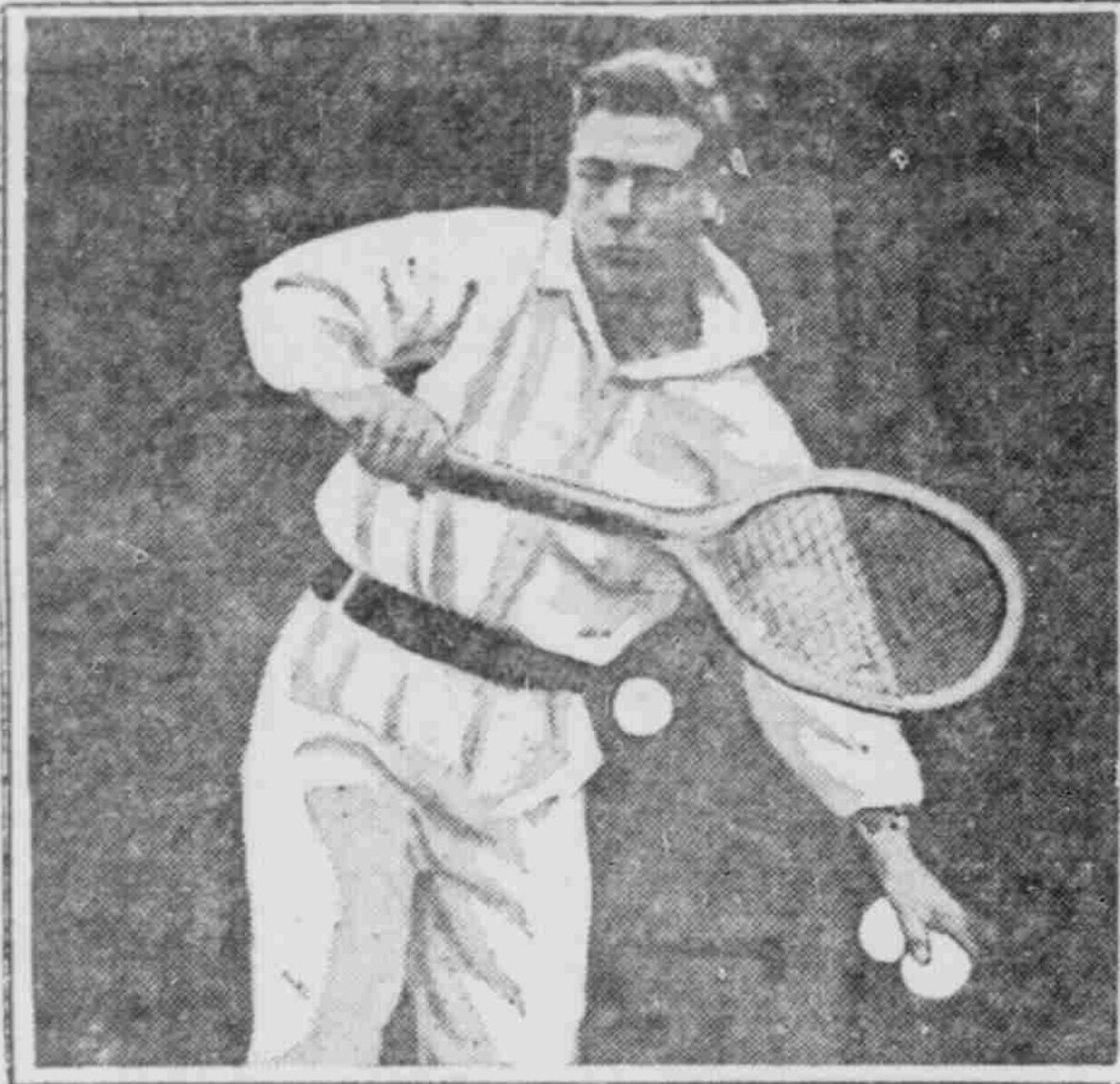
There is no disposition in boxing
circles to persecute the former
world's champion, but there is a de-
sire to keep the game from carrying
more burdens than it is saddled
with now.

Tex Rickard knows the public
pulse better, perhaps, than any one
connected with the American box-
ing game and he was the first to say
that a match with Johnson would
not go.

"I did not promote the recent
world's championship for money
alone," Rickard said. "I like the
game and I want to see it prosper
because I can prosper with it. I will
not arrange any matches in the fu-
ture that might hurt the sport."

Speaking of the return of Jess

Prince Is Tennis Devotee



The Prince of Wales puts up a strenuous game of tennis. He is here
shown on the courts of the estate of Lord Desborough. Notice where he is
looking—not at the ball!

Willard to the ring, Rickard said he
would not sign the big Kansan until
he could be convinced that the for-
mer champion could get into con-
dition.

There are many doubts that Wil-
lard could get back into shape after
an absence of two years from the
ring. He never did like to train be-
fore he retired and he would have

twice as hard a task to get in fight-
ing shape now.

Jack Dempsey is practically alone
in the field. As the champion and a
great champion, he deserves to get
all the work he wants, but he should
not be matched with any opponent
that cannot give him a contest.

Bill Brennan might be entitled to
another chance at the title but he
has been knocked out twice by the
champion. Gibbons, if he succeeds
in beating Carpentier, will be the
one entitled to a bid for the title.

The Gibbons-Carpentier match
seems a sure thing for Columbus any
day if the Frenchman's hand mends
in the meantime. Gibbons in his
present form, ought to beat the
Frenchman.

SIGHT MYSTERIOUS 'PHANTOM VESSEL' ON THE HIGH SEAS

Warn Seamen of Boat That
May Solve Fate of "Van-
ishing Ships."

WASHINGTON, July 7.—Govern-
ment wireless stations along the At-
lantic coast today broadcasted a
warning to vessels to be on the
watch for a mysterious craft that
may furnish a clue to the fate of
the "vanishing ships."

The warning was sent out after a
telephoned report from Munson
line officials at Baltimore that the
mysterious craft approached their
steamer Munalbro 300 miles east of
Philadelphia, refused to answer sig-
nals and then, with lights veiled,
dashed off into the darkness.

E. T. Chamberlain, commissioner
of navigation, today declared that
the story of Capt. Giles of the
Munalbro was the most substantive
evidence yet offered of the suspected
operations of sea marauders off
the Atlantic coast.

Was Afloat.
The story also gave a new turn
to the investigation of disappearance
of half a dozen ships off Cape Hat-
ters in the last few months.

The craft that approached the
Munalbro hesitated to attack a ship
of her size. It could, however, suc-
cessfully attack a ship like the Car-
roll Deering which sailed ashore last
January with all the crew missing,
officials said.

Chamberlain said it was impos-
sible that a seaman like Capt. Giles
would "go off on a cock and bull
story." He is awaiting a more com-
plete report on the incident from a
Munson line representative who is to
come here today.

GIVE WARNING.
BALTIMORE, Md., July 7.—Skip-
pers putting out from Baltimore to-
day were on the watch for a "Phan-
tom ships" reported by Capt. Giles of
the Munson liner Munalbro.

It was stated that department
of navigation officials would thorowly
investigate the report made by
Capt. Giles, that the mysterious ves-
sel—with darkened lights and trav-
eling at great speed—suddenly came
alongside his steamer at a point 300
miles off Philadelphia, "looked him
over" and then darted away into the
night.

Capt. Giles' statement revived the
belief that the vessels which have
mysteriously vanished off the Atlan-
tic coast during the last few months
numbering over 20, might have
been captured by a pirate craft or a
"soviet cruiser."

Skipper all along the coast were
report, and were taking precautions,
being advised today of Capt. Giles'
report and were taking precautions.



Tom Gibbons, heavyweight boxer
of St. Paul, and brother of the fa-
mous Mike, is New York's newest
boxing sensation. In his two ap-
pearances in the metropolitan city
Tom has stopped his opponents
in jig time. He is now looked upon
as the most likely opponent for
Jack Dempsey.

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had a hard time winning games
this year and it was predicted he
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